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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listing, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Original) A method to detect a peak selection error in a waveform, comprising:
 - a) measuring a first average transit time for one or more ultrasonic signals along a first path in a pipeline;
 - b) measuring a second average transit time for one or more ultrasonic signals along a second path in said pipeline, said second path being of different length than said first path;
 - c) determining whether there exists a peak selection error based on the length of said first path, the length of said second path, said first average transit time, and said second average transit time.
- 2. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
 - d) computing the size and direction of said peak selection error.
- 3. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
 - d) computing the size and direction of said peak selection error;
 - e) correcting for said peak selection error.
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein there exists a peak selection error when a variable η has an absolute value greater than a predetermined value, η being defined according to the equation: